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White Cups and Saucers, 7 for	1.00
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HOME MEAT MARKET

Inside Dope on the World's Baseball Series

The first game of the world's series will be held at St. Louis on Thursday, October 1st, when the Philadelphia Athletics and St. Louis Cardinals clash. The first two games will be played at St. Louis.

Here's the Dope

Mayor Williams—"Philadelphia will win the series and I don't think St. Louis will put up the battle they did last year."

Glen Williams—"Philadelphia will win, the series will go the limit."

Everett Bills—"I can't see anything but Philadelphia, with Earnshaw the leading pitcher."

Donnie McFadyen—"I had the pleasure of watching both these teams play this summer and I pick the Athletics to win."

Milt McCool—"Philadelphia will retain the world's championship. Grove will be the star of the series."

Fred Baker—"I look for the Athletics to repeat."

Happy MacMillan—"I figure Philadelphia will win the series, but I want to take Everett for a ride the day St. Louis wins."

Adam Cruickshank—"There is only one team in the series and its not St. Louis."

Orval Bills—"I want St. Louis to win."

Lloyd McRory—"St. Louis will upset the dope this year."

Archie McFadyen—"St. Louis will win if its on the square."

Frank Ruddy—"St. Louis will win the series."

Doug Hall—"A hard series but St. Louis will take 'em."

Dad Hall—"Damn it I think St. Louis will win."

Bob Smart—"Connie Mack has nothing to worry about in this series."

Fred Patchell—"St. Louis will defeat Grove the first time he starts, and then watch the odds change."

George Lem—"St. Louis has no chance."

R. B.—"I can't see that St. Louis has a chance against Grove, Cochran & Co."

Ed. Meyers—"It will no doubt be a close series but Philadelphia has the edge."

Bill Wood—"It looks to me as if Philadelphia should win easily."

Merrick Thomas—"Philadelphia has the edge and should win."

Bill Pogue—"The odds should be two to one on Philadelphia."

George Lem has purchased a new Baby Grand Sparten Radio and invites the general public to drop into the Oliver Cafe and hear the world's series.

THE MARKETS

Crossfield, Sept. 24th.

Wheat—No. 1 35c, No. 2 31, No. 3 26c, No. 4 23, No. 5 21c, No. 6 19, Feed 19c.

Oats—2 C. W. 14c, 3 C. W. 11, No. 1 Feed 11c.

Barley—3 C. W. 15c, 4 C. W. 13c.

A "Touching" Drama

—BY—
VERY "CLOSE" FRIENDS

Title:

"I Was a Stranger and he took me in"

1st Act.—Time 5.30 p.m.

Place: "Down Town"

Hughie: "Better come up and have supper with me tonight Jack"

Jack: "Thanks Hughie I will, that's real kind of you."

2nd Act.—Time 5.35 p.m.

Place: Passing Butcher Shop.

Hughie: "Maybe you better slip in and get a little meat Jack"

Jack: "Damn it, I might have known there was a catch. I suppose you are out of bread and butter also."

3rd Act.—Time 5.40 p.m.

Place: In Butcher Shop.

Jack: "What kind of meat do you like Hughie."

Hughie: "Oh I'm not particular T Bone will do. Maybe you better get a few extra slices I saw Archie down town"

Exit Jack, Hughie and T Bone.

Slow curtain. Sad music.

TOM LOSESS ANOTHER BATTLE

TOM AINT WHAT HE USED TO BE.
Does Not Show Same Form as When
Dad Hall and He Clashed.

John Hutchinson appeared before Ivor Lewis, P.M. on the morning of the 22nd, on a charge of assault laid by Thos. Fitzgerald, in which he complained that the accused assaulted him by striking him with his fist and kicking him in the leg. Hutchinson pleaded not guilty.

His Worship, after hearing considerable evidence, found him not guilty and dismissed the charge.

A NUT AT AIRDRIE

AIRDRIE, Sept. 21—Early Sunday morning, Sept. 20th, the citizens of the town were given quite a scare from a man wandering around apparently insane. He was knocking on doors and in other ways acting foolish. About five a. m. Constable Jarman, A. P. F., Crossfield was called and came down and took the man to Calgary. He gave his name as Thos. White. White was taken to the asylum at Ponoka on Wednesday.

Village Council Meeting

The postponed meeting of the Village Council was held on Monday evening, Sept. 21. All members present.

The old bugbear that of the nuisance grounds came up for discussion and as Mr. Amery showed that he was ready to battle, before he would allow any of his land to be pre-empted as a nuisance grounds, and as this might prove costly to the Village, the Council dropped the idea like a hot potato. Councillor Amussen has a nice spot for a dump ground picked out on the north-west end of the Fair Grounds. The Council will meet the Municipal Council of Rosebud and see if they can buy this piece of land.

The village constable was instructed to inspect all stove and furnace pipes in the village before the 1st day of October.

The constable was also instructed to see that householders and others clean up the lanes abutting their premises. It was pointed out that some of the lanes in the residential part of the town are in a filthy condition.

The constable was ordered to destroy any female dog running at large in the village contrary to the by-law. The council and citizens witnessed enough of this nuisance over the week-end.

The constable was also ordered to collect all outstanding dog taxes.

An upset price of the assessed value was placed on improved property listed in the tax sale. Three parcels of improved property have been withdrawn from the sale to date, and it is expected others will pay up before the date of sale.

The Council will have a trough built and placed at the town well for the convenience of farmers who at the present time have no suitable place at which to water their teams.

The council will have the ground levelled at the skating rink. Councillor Amussen was of the opinion that the ratepayers should not be called on to pay out money for the skating rink or any other sport.

It was the opinion of the majority of the Council that it was necessary to have a rink for the children. Here is an opportunity for someone to lease the rink from the Village and make a winter's stake.

N. L. McNeill of Airdrie was a visitor in town on Monday. Mr. McNeill is the District Deputy of the Modern Woodmen Lodge, and has installed lodges at Cremona, Madden and Keoma during the summer.

NOTICE

To Shareholders and The General Public

On and after August 1, 1931, and until further notice, we will allow 50c per bushel for No. 1 Wheat, F.O.B. Crossfield; other grades in proportion, for all debts incurred prior to January 1, 1930.

In passing the above resolution the Board took into account the fact that these debts were incurred at a time when the farmers' produce was worth three times what it is today.

The Board felt that it was hardly fair to expect the customer to bear all this loss; and, by this means, they are prepared to share a part of the burden.

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Community Sale

Remember the Community Auction Sale to be held in Crossfield early this fall. If you have anything of value which you have no further use for, turn it into cash. List what you wish to dispose of with L. Farr, auctioneer, Airdrie or with Thos. Tredaway, Crossfield.

Richness Of Mineral Fields In Great Bear Lake Area Are Stated To Exceed Cobalt

Confirmation of the sensational richness of the mineral finds on Great Bear Lake was given by Robert J. Jowsey, prominent Toronto mining man and prominent in the Sherritt-Gordon Corporation, who recently returned by aeroplane from the north.

Although reticent, Mr. Jowsey admitted that he had "never before seen such an abundance of mineral veins in one area in a lifetime of mining."

Mr. Jowsey, who was one of the pioneers in Cobalt, declared that owing to the entire country being composed of high ridges in which the mineral lies, mining will be comparatively simple.

"Where it cost \$50,000 to get a plant going in the Cobalt, one with four times the capacity can be set up on Great Bear Lake for \$8,000 to \$10,000."

Discussing the question of production and smelting, Mr. Jowsey expressed the view that there would be no difficulty in smelting the silver ore when it is mined. The proximity of oil at Fort Norman will greatly assist the Great Bear development, Mr. Jowsey believes.

"In all my experience in mining, and I've had plenty years of it, never have I seen anything to compare with Great Bear," said Mr. Jowsey. "The copper vein is, I think, the largest and richest in the world. Some of the silver lodes are so rich and virgin that they can be shipped to the smelter and melted to bar silver without any refining," said Mr. Jowsey.

In the present instance Mr. Jowsey is not acting for the Sherritt-Gordon, but went into Bear Lake independently.

He proposes to do development work this winter and will send in gangs of men to Great Bear to probe the seven claims he staked on this trip.

"I should estimate," he said, "that there are close to 2,100 claims staked already and every day seen planes loaded with prospectors arriving to stake. I hope that I threw my staked into a couple of million dollars worth of silver, but I can't tell yet," was his smiling statement. He did, however, say that Ventures, Dominion Explorers, Sherritt-Gordon, Manitoba Basin, N.A.M.E. and Consolidated Smelters and Miners had sunk a few holes and on the strength of the findings were each leaving men on the claims for development during the winter.

Questioned on the radium situation, he said: "I saw a lot of stuff which they said was radium, but whether it was worth a million a ton or \$3 a ton I couldn't tell. I don't know radium."

"But I do know copper and silver and what I saw showed me that at Great Bear is the largest and richest run of pay-ore veins in the world. Even if the radium only pans out to a dollar a ton, millions will be made from the copper and silver. So abundant is it that it sticks out of the rock on the lake shore and extends back into the coppermine area."

According to information there are only three mining camps established so far. LaBine has one at Hunter and Echo Bay each, while the Dominion Explorers have one at Glacier Bay. "Right now," he said, "only the large eastern mining concerns realize the untold wealth of the area. The general public does not seem to know just how heavily the land is mineralized. It will be a repetition of the affair at Cobalt in 1904 when lands there were sold for a score to the mining corporations. Great Bear will make the Cobalt field look like a piker."

Treatment Was a Success
"Do you guarantee results in your nerve treatment?" asked the enquirer.

Specialist: "I do. Why, a man came to me for nerve treatment and when I had finished with him he tried to borrow fifty pounds."

A New Jersey man boasts of having carried the same umbrella for fifty-two years. However, the man who owns it may catch him yet.



"If you go into the cage again and make the lion with I will let the dog on you," Musketeer, Vienna.

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Grasshoppers Roost Just Like Chickens

Habits Observed By Specialists Of Michigan State College

Grasshoppers go to roost at night just like chickens, Michigan State College specialists have observed in their study of ways and means of combating this farm pest.

Shortly before sundown each day the hoppers may be seen hopping toward their favourite roosting places. W. C. Cribbs, district extension agent, reports he has reason to believe a grasshopper returns to the same roosting place each night.

He has observed that when they enter a new field and start feeding on alfalfa or some other green crop, they first eat a border around the field. As the vegetation is consumed they work farther into the field, until finally they have destroyed every bit of green stuff—then they move on to greener pastures.

The reason for this method of feeding, Cribbs explained, is so that they may be near their favourite roosting places at night. Rail and stump fences are popular roosts. They even climb to wire fences and perch on the fence posts. If a farm building is near they may cover the sides with their bodies if the pest are numerous, Cribbs said.

Grasshoppers, like chickens, want a dry place to roost and sleep. Knowing that grass usually is wet in the morning with the dew, the hoppers take to the "tall places" to keep dry.

Lure Of The North

Many Applications For Permission To Locate At Churchill

The lure of the north is strong in the hearts of Canadians. Anyone doubting this should ask the correspondence piling up on officials of the Hudson Bay Railway and the Manitoba Government asking permission to go to the new port of Churchill, which has not been opened yet to the public.

Everyone seems to want to go north. The requests come from commercial interests desiring to be early on the scene, and from the great mass of individuals that wish to grow up with the port. Many desire to go in this fall to establish a business and be ready to open their doors in the spring. Hotel applications by the dozen, clothing stores, dozens of different kinds of stores, are clamouring for the provincial government to let them in on the "ground floor" at Churchill.

It is learned officially, however, that Churchill will not be opened to the public until next summer at the earliest, although the laying out of the townsite is completed.

There is a considerable programme of work to be done at Churchill next summer before the port will be completed, although construction work on the elevator is finished.

How To Increase Clover Seed Yield

Harvest First Crop When Plants Coming To Bloom

The yield of red clover seed can be increased by cutting the first crop when the plants are coming into bloom, rather than later, according to the Ohio experiment station. Cutting the hay crop early, so as to give the second or shed crop a good chance, is the one important factor in increasing yield which is within the grower's control. Important factors beyond his control are favourable weather and plenty of bumblebees or other pollinating insects. Early cut hay is more difficult to cure and the yield is somewhat less than later cut hay, but the feeding value per ton is greater than that of more mature hay.

Result Of Wheat Test

Shows Protein Content Of Manitoba Crops Higher This Year

Dr. F. J. Birchard of the research laboratory of the Canadian Board of Grain Commissioners, in a test made for protein content in the wheat crop of Manitoba, shows that the wheat crop of the province has a maximum of 18.3 per cent. as against a maximum of 14.5 per cent. last year and a minimum of 10.2 per cent. this year as compared with 8.4 per cent. last, the average being 12.25 per cent. The test grains were taken from the same districts as last year.

A man's temper improves the more he doesn't use it.

Lumber seems to pay best when treated as a farm crop.

FASHION



No. 923—Smart and Snappy—This style is designed in sizes 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52, 54, 56, 58, 60, 62, 64, 66, 68, 70, 72, 74, 76, 78, 80, 82, 84, 86, 88, 90, 92, 94, 96, 98, 100. Size 4 requires 2 1/2 yards of 35-inch material with 1 yard of ribbon.

All patterns 25 cents in stamps or coin (cash preferred). Wrap coin carefully.

No. 926—For Mature Figure—This style is designed in sizes 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52, 54, 56, 58, 60, 62, 64, 66, 68, 70, 72, 74, 76, 78, 80, 82, 84, 86, 88, 90, 92, 94, 96, 98, 100. Size 36 requires 3 1/2 yards of 38-inch material with 1/2 yard of 35-inch contrasting.

No. 884—Sportive Model—This style is designed in sizes 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52, 54, 56, 58, 60, 62, 64, 66, 68, 70, 72, 74, 76, 78, 80, 82, 84, 86, 88, 90, 92, 94, 96, 98, 100. Size 8 requires 2 yards of 38-inch material with 1/2 yard of 35-inch contrasting.

No. 925—Smart Jacket Dress—This style is designed in sizes 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52, 54, 56, 58, 60, 62, 64, 66, 68, 70, 72, 74, 76, 78, 80, 82, 84, 86, 88, 90, 92, 94, 96, 98, 100. Size 16 requires 4 1/2 yards of 38-inch material with 1 1/2 yards of 35-inch contrasting.

No. 506—Smart Bloomer Frock—This style is designed in sizes 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52, 54, 56, 58, 60, 62, 64, 66, 68, 70, 72, 74, 76, 78, 80, 82, 84, 86, 88, 90, 92, 94, 96, 98, 100. Size 16 requires 3 1/2 yards of 38-inch material with 1/2 yard of 35-inch contrasting.

The Infallible Test
The chorus-girl was giving notice that the company would have to discontinue with her services owing to her approaching marriage. "Pretty mad, isn't it?" growled the manager. "It was, in a way," agreed the girl. "I only met him a short time ago, and at first I wasn't sure of my feelings. But the moment I saw his Rolls-Royce yesterday I knew I loved him."

British traffic policemen may be equipped with motion picture cameras to secure evidence of dangerous driving.

Suited Him Fine
A colored minister of a Baptist church, so runs the story, in order to strengthen and confirm the faith of his congregation, took as his text: "In those days came John the Baptist, preaching in the wilderness of Judea."

"Oh," said he, "how I like to read these precious words in the blessed Bible! You don't read anywhere about John the Presbyterian, or John the Episcopalian. No, brethren, it is John the Baptist!"

Short Story—He floated a company. It sank.

Forces Great Speed
Prediction that speed boats might attain a speed of 1,000 miles an hour in 25 years was made by Kaye Don, holder of the present world's record of 110 miles an hour, speaking at the Empire Club luncheon in Toronto. If progress in development of racing boats continued at the same rate as during the past quarter century, he thought this might be possible.

Young Lady—"I see you advertise 'Purs altered.'"
Shopman: "Yes, miss, that is so."
Young Lady: "Very good. I'll send round my squirrel and have it made into a sealskin."

Just a Milliprat
A compositor, out of work, secured a job as a waiter.

One of the first customers whom he served with soup called him back and said: "Waiter, there's a button in this soup."

"Very sorry, sir," replied the waiter. "Printer's error. Should be nut-ton."

"How did your article on perpetual motion turn out?" "Oh, it was a great success," said the author. "Every time I sent it out it came back to me."

Aeroplane passenger service will be established in China from Shanghai to the Siberian border, where it will connect with a Soviet service to Europe.

Mechanical food service which was installed by a small restaurant in London has not proved popular.

"What! 15 shillings for that simple meal! Are chickens so scarce?" "No, but customers are."—Hummer, Hamburg.

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Great Britain also won permanent possession of the Schneider cup when Flight Lieutenant J. N. Boothman flew another seaplane 217 miles at an average speed of 240.08 miles an hour over a 31-mile course.

While Lieutenant Stainforth's speed remained to be checked and verified by the International Aeronautical Federation, it officially was announced that he had beaten by more than 28 miles an hour the previous world's speed record of 357.7 miles an hour, set by Squadron Leader A. H. Oriher, in 1929.

Lieutenant Stainforth's speed over the second of four laps was 404.265 miles an hour. This new record for the distance verified predictions that a British plane would pass the 400 mark.

With the performance of Lieut. Boothman, Great Britain took the Schneider trophy permanently, having won the two previous Schneider cup races. The cup was presented by the late Jacques Schneider, French sportsman, for international competition. Inset are four of the five daredevils who participated in the race. Top left and right: Squadron-Leader Oriher, previous holder of the world's record, 357 miles per hour; and Flight-Lieut. Stainforth. Below, left and right: Flight-Lieut. Long, and Flight-Lieut. Boothman.

National Wealth Of Canada According To Latest Estimates Is Placed At High Figure

Just Like Human Beings

Among Millions Of Hens No Two Alike Says Expert Poultryman

To most persons a chicken is just a chicken minus any characteristics which distinguish it from any other chicken, aside from the obvious differences in breeds. But to E. C. Foreman of Lowell, Michigan, each chicken is an individual. In fact, he says a hen has a social consciousness, a cosmic urge, and can be just as temperamental as the female of the human species.

For six years he was in charge of the poultry department of Michigan State College and then served as head of the poultry department for two years. Six years ago he came to Lowell and started a poultry farm. "Every hen," according to Mr. Foreman, "has just as many characteristics as a human being. Among all the millions of hens in the world no two are alike."

"Chickens," he continues, "fall into three classifications. Out of every hundred approximately 10 are super, 60 are mediocre and 30 are culls. That, I think, is about the same percentage as among human beings. The 10 per cent. has beauty and character and intelligence. It is keen and alert and aggressive."

Manitoba Community Farm

Plans For Providing Employment For 1,000 Persons Are Under Way

Plans for a community farm employing eventually 1,000 persons were advanced in Winnipeg when it was announced that a five-year lease of the 2,000-acre Manitoba Government Farm, 16 miles northeast of Winnipeg, would likely be granted.

The Imperial Immigration League of Manitoba, negotiating with the Provincial Government for the lease, purposes to convert the farm into a self-sustaining community where married men and their families will have the opportunity of making a living. Fifty families, preferably from Winnipeg, will be given immediate employment there. The scheme is designed to relieve unemployment and the city council will be requested to co-operate by allowing \$350 to each man.

Bacon Cannot Be Frozen For Export

But Scientists Have Found Way To Overcome Difficulty

Bacon cannot be successfully frozen for export. But British scientists have proved that pork can be frozen and then mild-cured into bacon on arrival in the United Kingdom. Frozen pork from New Zealand was defrosted at Cambridge and made into bacon. Then it was sent to a number of bacon experts for comparison with the best Danish and English sides. The experts rated it superior to Danish and only slightly inferior to the highest quality English bacon. This work is part of a scheme for research into the best methods of transporting and storing Empire meat financed by the Empire Marketing Board.

BRITISH SCHNEIDER CUP PILOTS RACE AGAINST EACH OTHER



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OPPOSITION TO EARLY ELECTION IN GREAT BRITAIN

London, Eng.—The London Daily Mail says that the board of governors of the Bank of England have taken the "unprecedented step" of visiting the House of Commons to inform the Prime Minister that the National Government must remain in power at least two years if a heavy fall in exchange is to be avoided.

The Mail for several days has been conducting an energetic campaign against the Conservative proposals for an early general election. Its story was published under heavy headlines.

"The affairs of the nation reached a position of extreme gravity Thursday, September 17," it said. "Information was conveyed to the government from the city (London's financial centre), that a precarious exchange situation exists . . . and it would appear on reports thus conveyed to the government that the recent unrest in the fleet had a profound effect on British credit and that the time has come when all other considerations save those of national existence must be put aside."

The board of governors of the bank, the paper said, asked the government to make a definite announcement that there would be no general election and that the government would remain in power for its full possible term of two years. It said that the board gave Premier Ramsay MacDonald "an alarming estimate" of the amount of fall in exchange which would follow any announcement that an election had been decided upon.

The Mail added that the cabinet met until a late hour and that Mr. MacDonald asked the members to come to a definite decision for or against an election.

Talk of a general election soon has been growing stronger during the past week and there was a widespread conviction in the parliament lobbies that it would take place the last week in October or early in November, when an appeal to the electorate would be made by the National Government, headed by Mr. MacDonald, and not by parties.

It was believed in the lobbies that Mr. MacDonald would be willing to head such an appeal and it was said that doubts about the wisdom of an early election were held only by the Liberals and were regarded as based upon that party's hostility to a tariff policy.

Cut Land Taxes

Relief For Manitoba Agriculture Is Chief Motive

Winnipeg, Man.—Cutting almost \$400,000 from the land taxes for provincial government an order-in-council has been signed by Hon. J. D. Gregor, Lieutenant-Governor of Manitoba. The step is intended to relieve municipalities by giving them a larger share in revenues derived from land taxes.

The levies on the municipalities of \$300,000 for operation of the Child Welfare Act and \$80,000 for the Soldiers' Relief Taxation Act are wiped out. Although the land taxes for these purposes are abolished the government contemplates no curtailment in the services by which they have been collected. These will be financed out of the general revenues of the province.

Announcement of the wiping out of the taxes was first made by Premier John Bracken last week. He then suggested the money needed might be found by economies in administration, from the Natural Resources Reserve Fund, or from taxation elsewhere on those able to bear it.

Relief for agriculture was the chief motive of the change but it is also hoped it will have the effect of permitting lower rents in the city of Winnipeg.

As a measure of economy the government has already reduced the salaries of all provincial officials and civil servants from the premier down.

Completing Plans For Bonus
Calgary, Alberta.—Arrangements for the payment of the five-cent Dominion Government bonus on wheat is nearing completion in Alberta. Office supplies and other equipment required in distributing the bonus have arrived at the Alberta wheat pool head office. They will be sent to pool elevator agents immediately, it was stated.

Manitoba Sugar Beets

Thirty Manitoba growers of sugar beets have 421 acres under cultivation this year, according to the latest report.

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Wheat Quality Is High

Equal If Not Better Than Any Previous Year

Winnipeg, Man.—The milling and baking quality of Canada's new wheat crop is exceptionally high and is equal, if not better, than that of any year tested by the Dominion Grain Research Laboratory it was announced.

The weight per bushel of the samples received to date and which have just been examined under the direction of F. J. Birchard, are about the same as last year, with the yield of flour comparing favourably. The protein content is much higher than the previous crop, while the gluten of different grades also is exceptionally good.

The baking quality is excellent, the report says, and the flour absorption is higher and the loaf volume greater.

REDUCTIONS IN NAVAL PAY TO BE RE-EXAMINED

London, Eng.—After sharp exchanges over unrest in the Atlantic fleet during a turbulent question hour, the House of Commons yesterday decided placidly through the emergency budget's proposals to increase the duties on beer and tobacco.

The Government had comfortable majorities on the two proposals—131 on the beer duties and 74 on the tobacco duties.

All the storm in the House was provoked by the brief statement of Sir Austen Chamberlain, first lord of the admiralty, to the effect the Board of Admiralty had agreed to re-examine the proposed reductions in naval pay and to consider any case of alleged hardship. In view of this decision the vessels of the Atlantic fleet have been ordered to proceed to their home ports, he added.

Laborites immediately seized on this brief statement. There was a clamor from the opposition benches for immediate debate. The Government remained adamant. The opposition then put a motion that the House suspend the 11 o'clock closing rule, but the Government had a comfortable majority, to defeat it by 286 to 195 votes.

In an uproar of questions from the opposition and retorts from the Government benches, the Laborites asked if the unemployed whose benefits had been cut, would also be considered. They wanted to know if the soldiers and policemen would likewise be consulted about their reductions. They remarked on the fact that some of the naval rates of pay have been cut by 25 per cent. while the first lord of the admiralty and some other cabinet ministers are taking a 10 per cent. cut.

Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald replied to one of the opposition's many questions with the declaration that it had always been understood the Government department's making cuts in expenditures could adjust the burden; a step that could be taken without materially affecting the budget estimates.

When the House returned to the emergency budget, D. G. Logan, Laborite, declared to the amusement of the House there was neither soul nor sympathy "in this damnable coalition." He challenged every member of the cabinet from the Prime Minister downwards, to do battle with him in his constituency of Scotland, Liverpool, the seat represented for so long by the late "Ray Pay" O'Connor, Irish Nationalist.

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Convict Taking Arts Course

University Work Sent To Youthful Long-Termers in Portsmouth Prison

Kington, Ont.—For the first time in the history of Queen's University, a convict in Portsmouth penitentiary has made application to enter in arts course and do his studies extra-murally in prison. The applicant is a youthful long-temer. In the past five years he has passed all Ontario departmental examinations from entrance to high school. The university work will be sent to him by the head of the extra-mural department at Queen's.

Quebec Session

Report States Legislature Will Be Called For October 20

Montreal, Que.—The Star publishes the following:

"The first session of the newly elected legislature will be called for October 20, the date already fixed for its meeting when the Houses were dissolved in July last, it is stated in Liberal circles here. Many reasons are advanced for this early session, but the chief is the necessity for the Government to get the proper authority to make extraordinary expenditures for unemployment relief."

TWO CANADIAN DELEGATES TALK AT LEAGUE MEET

Geneva, Switzerland.—Committees of the assembly of the League of Nations heard eloquent and important speeches by two Canadian delegates.

—Hon. Hugh Guthrie, Minister of Justice, and Senator C. P. Beaulieu, of Montreal.

Mr. Guthrie spoke when the first committee of the assembly discussed the subject of bringing the league covenant against war into harmony with the Kellogg peace pact.

The general sentiment of the committee is so far in favour of acceptance of the proposed amendments in the covenant, which in the opinion of several speakers would tend to facilitate the work of next year's world disarmament conference, for they would leave no ambiguity or doubt that war is to be abolished as an instrument of national policy.

Acceptance of the conclusions reached last year, in favor of the proposed amendments was advocated by Mr. Guthrie. He expressed strong opposition to any suggestion the matter should be adjourned.

The danger of adjournment, he pointed out, was that the man in the street would say the nations of the world rushed to renounce war but refused to translate their actions into a formal undertaking.

Senator Beaulieu spoke during committee deliberations on the minorities question. He advocated improvement in the present procedure of the league on the minorities problem, stressing the need for greater publicity concerning the treatment of minorities. Viscount Cecil, of Chelwood, the British Government's chief delegate, supported Senator Beaulieu, while Foreign Minister Curtius, of Germany, agreed that more publicity was needed.

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REPRESENTS CANADA



C. A. Bowman, Editor of the Ottawa Citizen, who is one of the Canadian delegates to the biennial meeting of the Institute of Pacific Relations to be held at Hangchow, China, in October.

Count Only Preliminary

Further Returns From Recent Census Subject To Correction

Ottawa, Ont.—A further statement of population in a number of cities and towns of Canada which were not dealt with in previous announcements, has been issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. The statement covers more particularly a number of towns, although it deals also with two or three cities in different provinces. The figures issued show that the city of Quebec, increased from 95,193 in 1921, to 129,103 in the present year. The population of Windsor, Ont., has advanced from 38,591 to 62,967 in the ten-year period.

In western Canada, the city of Regina reported an increase from 34,432 to 53,034.

The largest percentage increase recorded in the statement is in the town of Riverside, Ont., which increased its population from 1,155 in 1921 to 4,426 in the present year. This is an increase of 283 per cent.

It is made clear in the statement that the count is a preliminary one and that returns are subject to correction as additions on account of closed houses and absentees have yet to be made.

Proportional Vote Opposed

Manitoba Conservatives Object To Proposal of Attorney-General

Winnipeg, Man.—Opposition to the principle of proportional representation contained in a suggestion by Hon. W. J. Major, Attorney-General, for a reduction in the number of seats in the Manitoba Legislature, was expressed on behalf of the Conservative party by Col. F. G. Taylor, leader of the group.

Col. Taylor said his party has no objection to the proposed reduction, but "will use every legislative means to prevent the extension of the suggested proportional representation system to the rural areas of the province."

Mr. Major's suggestion would reduce the number of seats from 55 to 35 and would apply proportional representation to the whole province with the exception of four single-member constituencies.

Superiority of British Films

Toronto, Ont.—The increasing superiority of British motion pictures has led to the establishment in England of branch United States studios according to F. S. Royall, Canadian representative for British International pictures. "Hollywood is alarmed," he commented.

Radio Development

Col. Steel Appointed To Staff Of Research Council

Ottawa, Ont.—Lieut.-Col. W. A. Steel, M.C., who has directed the radio development of the Department of National Defence, has been appointed to the staff of the National Research Council. It is announced, starting October 1, he will have charge of the council's radio research programme.

Colonel Steel has had a distinguished career in both military and radio fields, he has represented Canada at numerous international radio conferences and he accompanied Premier R. B. Bennett to the last Imperial Conference.

Radio research has been assigned a definite place in the plans of the National Research Laboratories, and many problems of a technical nature will be dealt with under the direction of Col. Steel.

International Peace Garden

Tract Of Land At North Dakota and Manitoba Border Is Selected

Asbury Park, N.J.—A tract of land on Turtle Mountain at the North Dakota-Manitoba border was approved by the National Association of Gardeners Convention as the site for the international peace garden.

Final decision on the adoption of this site will be made next spring at a joint meeting of the International Peace Garden Commission, and executive committees of the Canadian Association of Florists and Gardeners and the National Association of Gardeners.

Date and place of this meeting has not been determined.

MEASURES TAKEN FOR RELIEF WORK ARE OUTLINED

Ottawa, Ont.—A review of Canada's unemployment problem and an outline of the relief measures which are being taken by the Federal Government in co-operation with the provincial and municipal governments is outlined in a statement issued by Hon. G. D. Robertson, Minister of Labour.

"Relief of the farmers in the drought stricken areas of the prairie provinces constitutes the most difficult problem in western Canada, but this ought not to be confused with unemployment arising from industrial and commercial fluctuations."

"Some substantial projects in the urban centres have been tentatively approved, and the Minister of Agriculture (Hon. Robert Weir), is actively directing the farm relief programme in those areas, particularly in Saskatchewan, as well as assisting in the relief of unemployment in the cities and towns."

"In western Canada substantial park areas in Alberta offer opportunities for the creation of considerable useful work in delimiting park boundaries, clearing and building roads and opening up avenues of communication between park areas, of which Jasper and Banff are centres, as well as some similar works in parks located in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and British Columbia."

"The Provincial Government of Alberta has concluded an agreement with the Federal Government respecting both provincial and municipal undertakings in that province, and like Ontario, it is expected that substantial relief will accrue to the larger urban centres by the withdrawal of transients and single men, who may be wisely assisted in the outside undertakings, both in parks and on provincial roads."

"The Province of British Columbia is suffering particularly because of the contraction in the lumbering and mining industries. Field crops in that province, as in the eastern provinces, have been quite satisfactory as to volume, but not so satisfactory as to sales prices obtainable."

"Manitoba has already commenced some highway construction work and a substantial programme of municipal projects will be submitted for approval shortly."

"There are many indications that the nation-wide depression is passing and that Canada may look forward with reasonable assurance that, as in every similar previous experience, she will emerge earlier than some other countries to a new era of progress."

During the past week, however, the transportation situation seems to be improving and it may with reasonable confidence be expected that railway earnings will show better results during the next few weeks than they did in the month of August, owing to the fact that the crop movement is later this year than last year.

Only 20 talking pictures were produced in Italy in the last year.

SURVEY IS MADE OF THE WEST'S NEW GRAIN PORT

Churchill, Man.—Built on the barren shore in Manitoba's north country, Churchill's ultra modern harbour development won the acclaim of an Ottawa delegation headed by Hon. R. C. Manion, Minister of Railways and Canals. Two other cabinet ministers, Hon. Robert Weir, Minister of Agriculture, and Hon. T. G. Murphy, Minister of the Interior, were in the party making a rapid-fire survey of the new grain port.

Confidence in the ability of Canada's farthest north grain harbour to handle any business which may develop via the bay route was expressed by Mr. Manion. Before leaving for the mouth he remarked that the mechanical portion of the port development had functioned perfectly on its initial test, leaving success of the route dependent only on the trend of trade.

"Not a doubt was entertained by the minister but that the 'Farnworth' and the 'Warkworth,' chartered by the Government to carry the inaugural bay route shipment overseas this month would reach their destinations successfully. He even considered that lower bay insurance rates on hulls and cargoes might be expected for next season as result of the two shipments of some 540,000 bushels of Saskatchewan wheat."

Canada's Government, Mr. Manion promised, would draw to the attention of the Imperial shipping committee at London any successful journeys overseas through the Hudson Straits, in the endeavour to obtain the most equitable insurance rates possible. He stressed the fact that the government had undertaken to insure that rates on the test shipments from Churchill would not be higher than from the prairies via Montreal. Possibility that the Government might be called on to foot a bill for an extra cost by the bay route was indicated by Mr. Manion in view of current low rates on the Great Lakes due to their cargoes.

He pointed out that the Government had provided its harbour facilities for the trial shipments without cost, and would implement its promise to absorb the rate differential if any. The Government is seriously endeavouring to do everything possible at Churchill, stated Mr. Manion, pointing to plans for freight sheds, raw grain galleries and other developments for next year.

The sheds are to be constructed on the pier next summer if the foundation of the pier has settled sufficiently to allow work to be done.

By the time shipping opens on the bay route the harbour will be ready to handle cattle, from the west's agrarian areas, the minister forecast. He mentioned that such a trade might necessitate the provision of cattle yards at The Pas 511 miles southward, but saw no difficulty in the way.

Coal and lumber handling facilities, he said, would be pressed forward to handle any trade which develops and the entire facilities would certainly be ready by 1933.

"The Government will promise nothing which cannot be fulfilled," said Mr. Manion, "lest the failure to implement an undertaking might react to the disadvantage of the port."

"Without John I. McFarland, head of the Canadian Wheat Pools' Central Selling Agency, the trial shipments of this year would have been impossible," commented the minister. No other offer of wheat for the bay route shipment had been made, he said, and even now the second cargo has not yet been sold. Mr. Manion announced that the shipment of No. 2 northern, trimmed down Wednesday, September 16, in the hold of the 'Farnworth,' had been sold by Mr. McFarland to Spillers, London, England.

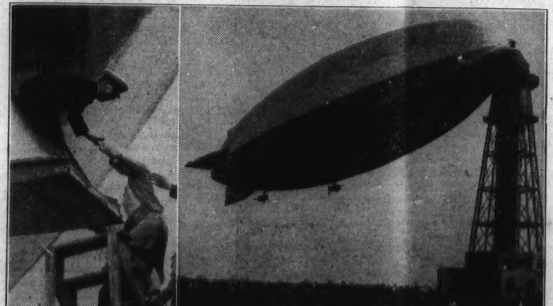
Perfect synchronization of the work at Churchill by the various developing groups was named by the minister as the outstanding reason for the on-the-dot success of inaugural operations. He commended especially C. D. Howe, consulting engineer of Fort William, Ont., who designed the 2,500,000-bushel elevator which has taken rank as the world's fastest operating terminal.

Four Straight Records

Quebec, Que.—The Canadian Pacific liner 'Empress of Britain,' docking at Quebec, August 31, made its fourth straight record of the Atlantic journey, from land to land, in four days, six hours and 23 minutes. This is the fastest time in which this stretch of water has been covered. The steamer carried nearly 1,000 passengers and 21 automobiles.

Operated by one man, an electric shovel has been developed that will take eight dump-cart loads at a little over five minutes.

FAMOUS AIR GIANT TO BE SCRAPPED FOR ECONOMY'S SAKE



To the millions of Canadians who had the good fortune to witness the British air monarch, R-100, in flight over Eastern Canada following her Atlantic trip a year ago, the news that she is to be scrapped as part of the Motherland's "strict economy" plan, will be accepted with great regret. It seems a pity after spending more than \$2,000,000 in her construction, that the British Air Ministry have to make such a drastic move. Above are two familiar pictures, taken in Montreal, showing the giant dirigible anchored to the airship mast at St. Hubert, and a close-up of the cat-walk by which passengers and crew board the airship.

To Explore

Ungava Bay

Scientific Expedition To Visit Little Known Island Near Labrador Coast

In connection with the expedition of the Oxford University Exploration Club which sailed from Liverpool recently for St. John's, Newfoundland, where an auxiliary schooner had been chartered to make a journey up the Labrador Coast to Akpatok Island in Ungava Bay, The London Times says:

"Akpatok Island, which is approximately 50 miles in length, has been known since 1610, when Hudson, in passing the island in July of that year, gave it the name of 'Desire Prevoketh,' but the earliest recorded landing of a white man is that of Dr. Robert Bell, of the Canadian geological survey, who put ashore there for a few hours in 1883. The island is still uninhabited, though visited from time to time by Eskimos from the mainland in search of walrus."

"The importance of this expedition is in the representation of several sciences in an inland survey in a part of the world where exploration, concerned hitherto chiefly with the northwest passage and the whaling industry, has been almost entirely confined to the seaboard and provides little scientific fact with regard to the interior."

"The expedition, which is led by H. M. Clutterbuck, intends to make a scientific investigation of Akpatok. The geological work begun in Spitzbergen will be continued, and besides this, it is hoped, thoroughly to survey the biology, botany, geology, and topography of the island."

For Economic Recovery

Senator Borah Of United States Gives Opinion Of What Is Needed

My view is that there are three, possibly four, major propositions relative to the recovery of Europe. First, a revision of the Versailles treaty, a readjustment of reparations, the recognition of Russia by the United States, and drastic disarmament."

I admit at least three are difficult problems. But they are not so impossible by any means as the recovery of Europe without their adjustment. Europe cannot recover under the peace treaties and Germany never can get the reparations assessed against her. There will be no disarmament in Europe until the Russian problem is settled. We have been living in a fool's paradise, talking about disarmament and better times. And ever since the Versailles treaty was signed we have been drifting toward the rapids—Senator Borah in New York Nation.

Increased Trade With Orient

Report Indicates Great Possibilities For Future Expansion

A comprehensive survey of Canadian trade with Japan and China is contained in a report issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reflecting the unsettled situation in China and also the effects of the financial breakdown of Japan four years ago "when 36 banks closed their doors."

The report nevertheless indicates the great possibilities for trade expansions with the Orient, and shows, despite fluctuations due to the foregoing conditions, how Canada's exports to those countries have increased since records began to be kept.

B.C. Egg Shipment To Britain

A shipment of 5,661 cases of eggs left New Westminster recently for Great Britain as well as an export shipment of butter of 5,518 boxes for the same market.

Apprentice—You want me to clean the office? You, said you had a man for rough work.

Chief—So we have. He collects the debts.

A gas which stops an aeroplane if any enters the engine is the latest German device in the war against aircraft.



"Do you drink coffee?"
"Yes."
"Coffee is too poison."
"Very slow, doctor. I've taken it for eighty years."—Lustige Blätter, Berlin.

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English Common In Japan and China

Wide Use Impresses Traveller Who Visits the Orient

In a recent issue of the Toronto Globe appeared an editorial which said that "Colonel Lindbergh had reached Asia and leaves the English language behind." Rev. Jesse Arnup, well known in Canada, who last year made an extended trip through China and Japan, comments on the statement as follows: "That may be meant for a joke, but as a statement of fact nothing could be farther from the truth. In Japan, Colonel Lindbergh will find the name of every railway station printed in English as well as Japanese. If he confederates to board a train he will find the English word 'boy' (Asia's term for a servant) printed on an arm band worn by the porter. Mrs. Lindbergh can go shopping along the beautiful Ginza, in Tokyo, and secure her heart's desire by asking in the English language—and so on. With slight modification, the same condition prevails in China. Sixteen hundred miles up the Yangts Valley I saw English signs, in Tokyo and elsewhere, for shoes, hardware and other articles. I travelled alone from Peking (Pekin) to Moukden, down through Manchuria and the whole length of Korea, across the straits by steamer and practically across Japan. I speak English only, and yet I was not once in difficulty for lack of some one to understand me. Few facts impress a traveller in the East more than this wide use of the English language. At Moukden one finds many Russians, some tens of thousands of Japanese, and hundreds of thousands of Chinese. When these three races communicate with each other their one common medium of expression is the English language. No, Colonel Lindbergh did not leave it behind."

Poultry Field Days

Good Attendance Reported At Demonstrations Held In Saskatchewan

A total of 5,019 persons attended the 86 poultry field days which were conducted throughout Saskatchewan by representatives of the poultry division in the live stock branch of the Department of Agriculture, during June and July. These field days were asked for by poultry producers and aided by the community organizations. At Moukden one finds many Russians, some tens of thousands of Japanese, and hundreds of thousands of Chinese. When these three races communicate with each other their one common medium of expression is the English language. No, Colonel Lindbergh did not leave it behind."

Reforestation Plans

Temporary Commission May Be Appointed To Alberta

Looking towards the preservation of Alberta forests, the Provincial Government is considering the appointment of a temporary commission to make a complete survey of conservation and reforestation needs, it is announced by Hon. George Hoodley, acting premier. This survey would embrace matters of forest preservation, reforestation, protection against soil drifting and the erection of dams in various creeks in the south of the province.

Early rising is a good habit, but it won't get a man anywhere unless he does something after he rises.

Orange carpets, green pews and gaily painted walls have been introduced into St. John's Church, England, the vicar believing that such brightness will attract young people.

By cutting big pie in four pieces.

The Oldest Prepared Food

Cheese Heads List With Possibly Butter Excepted

With the possible exception of butter, cheese is the oldest prepared food in the world. It is meat to the French, potatoes to the Dutch, breakfast, dinner and supper to the Swiss. In Paris every restaurant worthy of its name has a cheese cellar. The French chef would be as lost without cheese as we would be without eggs—cheese creeps into his delicacies at every turn.

In Alkmaar, Holland, cheese are auctioned off every Friday. On the day before, wagons and boats loaded with cannon ball cheese come to town from every direction. The auction begins at ten o'clock sharp. The bidding starts to the strains of Lohengrin's wedding march played on a wonderful old carillon. At some of these auctions, 125,000 little Edams are sold in a single day.

In all times and all ages foodstuffs have acquired a host of traditions. Some true and others violently erroneous. Cheese enjoys no exception to this rule. Some people pronounce it "rich" and say that only small amounts should be eaten at any time. Other traditions have grown up about the time and way it should be eaten. The most absurd of these warns against the use of cheese at the evening meal because it supposedly causes bad dreams.

There is no need to trust to tradition in this matter, according to nutritionists. Exhaustive studies undertaken by the United States Department of Agriculture have revealed the truth, so that anyone who wishes can use cheese to his own best good. It reveals that cheese is from 90 per cent to 99 per cent digestible.

To Make Farming Pay

Principles Laid Down By Ontario Agricultural Coll., a Professor

"If the farmer could honestly tell what it cost to raise one bushel of wheat and then be content to take a small profit on that price, doing it, on that basis, for some time to come, then we could sell every single bushel of his wheat by under selling the other fellow," declared G. I. Christie, Ontario Agricultural College principal, at Calgary.

Addressing the local board of trade, Dr. Christie pointed out that taxes on farm land must be stopped because they were increasing the cost of production. He thought Ontario farmers would shortly bring their costs back to normal by their methods of cutting expenditures. He criticized the policy of leaving high-priced machinery lying idle in fields, rusting and going to waste.

Safe Week-End Trip

Start from front of house, drive north along road and turn right at first corner; drive straight ahead until end of block is reached; turn right again; south to next cross street, turning right, follow up traffic light (note signals); follow road north until front of house is reached; turn right into garage driveway; put up car. Go right into house. Stay there until Monday morning.

By cutting big pie in four pieces.

CANADIANS GREET KAYE DON WITH GREAT ACCLAIM



These pictures were taken when Kaye Don, famous British speedster driver, reached Toronto after losing the Harmsworth Trophy Series against Car Wood in the United States. The main photograph shows a small part of the vast crowd who viewed the damaged "Miss England II" at the Canadian National Exhibition, while inset, left to right, are: Sam Harris, President of the Canadian National Exhibition; Kaye Don; and C. D. Browne of Toronto, representing Lord Wakefield.

The Cobra Won Out

Dinner For Three Resulted In Digestion For One

What might happen if a small green, succulent frog were placed before three hungry, venomous snakes? Frederick William Fitzgerald, for 25 years director of the snake park and museum at Port Elizabeth, South Africa, lately found out. He took progressive photographs of the affair and sent them to the London Graphic which published them under the headline, "Dinner for Three: Digestion for One."

First to come at the small, green, succulent frog was a four-foot snake, a cobra (sheepsticker) snake. As the frog began disappearing head first down the snake's narrow gullet, a puffing adder moved near. Seeing the adder, the sheepsticker gulped hard to get its meal down safely; but the quick adder got hold of the frog's right hind leg, started swallowing the prize from the end.

As the two snakes glared into each other's cold beady eyes, along came snake No. 3, a six-foot Cape cobra which coiled itself nearby and raised its hooded head to inspect the tug-of-war.

Then the cobra put down its head and glided forward. With a hungry gaze of its flexible lower jaw it seized the frog by the middle and started swallowing it in a third direction. The sheepsticker and the adder, to their undoing, held on grimly.

Soon, by a series of forward jerks, the cobra shoved its jaws over the heads of the other two snakes. Its fangs sank home, its venom flowed, the adder and the sheepsticker went limp and helpless. Then slowly down the cobra's jerking gullet passed frog, snakes and all, proving that in the snake world victory is to him whose mouth holds most.

Sees Great Future For Fishing Industry

Experienced Fisherman Predicts Good Business For Hudson Bay

There is a great future for the fishing industry in Hudson Bay, in the opinion of John Ingbrechson, who, with a crew of eight men, sailed a 30-foot fishing smack over Canada's inland sea this summer.

Four samples of commercial fish taken by net from the waters of the bay have been forwarded to The Pas by the experienced fisherman together with a letter telling of his experiences. The most prolific species of fish encountered, he wrote, is a pink salmon of fine quality.

The Younger Generation

American Novelist Has Very Poor Opinion Of Present Day Youth

The younger generation in America is "twelve years old permanently," and its attitude towards the serious problems confronting it in the world today is summed up in the phrase, "Oh, yeah?" in the opinion of Edna Ferber, outstanding American novelist and Pulitzer prize winner.

"I think it would be a good thing if the whole thing would go back to the primeval ooze and start from scratch. We certainly haven't made a good thing of it," she said.

Not Six Or Eight

Out on the farm, where men are men. The women—wives, aunts or nieces. Understand that a male may be kept in hand.

By cutting big pie in four pieces.

Were Not Always Writers

Varied Business Followed By Authors Before They Attained Literary Success

The business of writing for a living always attracts to it a business in which little capital outside of mental experience, talent and a large supply of postage stamps are necessary.

"Living Authors," a book of brief biography, supplies ample encouragement to those prompted by the recent literary successes of a Canadian stage driver and a Chicago invalid. For instance:

Sherwood Anderson ran a paint factory.

Stella Benson worked as a chore boy on a ranch.

Masefield, Britain's poet laureate, worked as a sailor before the mast and as a bartender in a Greenwich village saloon.

Walter de la Mare was a bookkeeper for 18 years.

Algernon Blackwood once conducted a pedlar's business.

Sinclair Lewis was a janitor.

James Joyce managed a motion picture theatre.

Knut Hamsun, winner of the Nobel Prize in literature with his "Growth of the Soil," once worked as horse car conductor.

W. S. Gilbert was a lawyer without a practice.

Erie Maria Remarque was a school teacher, a pedlar, a mailman, a salesman and organizer in a lunatic asylum before he wrote "All Quiet on the Western Front."

All of which goes to prove the maxim that the best man for the army is the soldier. If one has talent and persistence he or she can storm the literary Parnassus on equal terms with the favoured of men.—Regina Daily Star.

Money and Marriage

Girls With Money Marry Later Than Those Without

The better off she is, the later a girl marries.

That the age of brides increases with the social and economic status of their families is found by Frank W. Notestein, of the research division of the Millbank Memorial Fund, from statistical analysis of the marriage ages of 17,876 white women.

Among city girls, he found, the daughter from the professional family marries on the average at 24. The daughter of business men tend to go to the altar a year younger, while the clerk's daughter starts a home of her own in about her 22nd year. Girls from the families of skilled, semi-skilled and unskilled workers marry, on the average, during the 21st year, but the girl of the first-class tends to put off the ceremony until she is almost 22.

Country girls marry younger than city girls, but the same curious relationship is found of marriage age with social status. Thus the daughters of farm owners marry at an average age of 22.3, of farm renters at 20.9, and of farm labourers at 20.1.

American brides, on the average, are a trifle younger than English brides.

England Is Still England

Credit Is Founded On Centuries Of Fair Trading

England still is England, and the credit of Britain is the best in the world. It is backed by character, which is the debtor's greatest asset. It is founded on centuries of fair trading and honest business, backed by the stability of British institutions and national life. To the bankers of London, of New York, of the world it does not matter greatly whether the government of the day is Labour, Liberal or Conservative. What matters is that in any hands the continuity of the British tradition is preserved and the Englishman's habit of paying his debts, meeting his obligations, does not suffer.—Ottawa Journal.

South African Trade Treaty

Dr. Botha, South African trade representative in New York has been in Ottawa discussing trade relations between the two dominions. A trade treaty is in progress of negotiation and with good prospects it will be consummated. Canada's exports to South Africa are chiefly manufactures such as automobiles, trucks, rubber goods and agricultural implements and importing from there fruit, hides and manganese ore.

Getting Out Of It

"Didn't your paper say I was a liar?" "It did not." "Didn't it say I was a scoundrel?" "It didn't." "I'm positive some paper said it." "Perhaps it was our competitor in this town," suggested the editor. "Our paper doesn't print false news."

"He was a fellow as an architect, so he went on the stage." "Is he drawing better houses?"

Courtesy On The Highways

Drivers In Canada Have Much To Learn From England

An interesting sidelight on the English custom of courtesy on the highways was given by J. Mercer Denholm, editor of the Blenheim News-Tribune, in a recent address at Chatham, Ont. Not long ago Mr. Denholm enjoyed a motor trip through England. The word "enjoyed" is used advisedly, for the Blenheim editor discovered that every other motorist on the highways was exercising the utmost courtesy and pleasure.

In this country speed seems to be the main essential to enjoyable driving. The idea is to get there quickly. If a motorist catches up to a car which is not going fast enough to suit him, he turns out and shoots past, rarely sounding his horn to give even a faint intimation of his intention. If there is another car coming from the opposite direction, and the action of the speeder causes a tight squeeze probably forcing either or both of the automobiles to swerve, dangerously, towards the ditch, it makes no difference to him. He speeds on just the same.

In England it is different. Every motorist seems to be considering the interests of the other fellow. If one driver notices a car coming from the rear, and another approaching from the front, and realizes that it would be dangerous for the fellow behind to try to pass, he holds out his hand. The man behind recognizes that there is danger ahead and he doesn't try to pass—not until the man in front waves him to come on. There is no such thing as "cutting-in" on the English highways. Motorists speed up, or slow down, as occasion demands, to protect the lives of their fellow motorists. The custom is English and it's courteous.

We like to feel that we are progressive and self-reliant, but there are still many things that we can learn from the Motherland. Courtesy on the highways is one of them.

New Idea About Death

Biologist Says Process Is Similar To An Explosion

Death is a process similar to an explosion, Dr. W. W. Lepeschkin reports in the Quarterly Review of Biology.

The principal chemical compounds of living matter are so unstable, he says, as to be comparable to explosives and they decompose in the same way under relatively slight mechanical stimuli. In experiments he has found that the death of yeast cells is accompanied by the production of heat.

Even if an explosive is not set off, he reports, the same curious relationship substances it is subject to slow decomposition. This he compares to natural death from old age. Only at extremely low temperatures, where all chemical reactions practically cease, he says, could this decomposition be prevented and life last for a very long time.

If any vital principle, such as the soul, moves the body, he says, it is because of the results of the "explosions." Its departure must be the result, rather than the cause, of death.

Understands Coal

When you buy a ton of coal you buy a considerable quantity of synthetic white-of-egg too. At least such is indicated by Professor Wilhelm Glung, German scientist, who for the last fifteen years has been riding his hobby—coal. He has made a special study of coal and its derivatives.

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Author of
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Of Far End,"
Hodder & Stoughton, Ltd., London.

CHAPTER I.—Continued.

The birth of Jean, two years after their marriage, had been frankly regarded by both of them as an inconvenience. It interrupted their idyllic life. They were so essentially lovers that no third—not even a third born of love's consummation—could be other than superfluous.

They had proceeded to shift the new responsibility with characteristic lightheartedness. A small army of nursemaids and governesses was engaged, and later, when Jean was one of the best Continental schools, whilst her parents continued their customary happy-go-lucky existence uninteruptedly. During the holidays she shared their wanderings, and Egypt and the southern coast of Europe became familiar places to her.

At the age of seventeen, Jean came home to live at Beirfeils, thenceforward regarding her unpractical parents with a species of kindly tolerance and amusement. The three of them had lived quite happily together, though Jean had remained always the odd man out; but she accepted the fact with a certain humorous philosophy which robbed it of half its sting. Then, two years later, Jacqueline had developed rapid consumption, and though Glyn hurried her away to Montevan, in the Swiss Alps, there had been no combating the disease, and the romance of a great love had closed down suddenly into the grey shadows of death.

Peterdon had been like a man demoralized. For a time he had disappeared, and no one ever knew, either then or later, how he had first faced the grim tragedy which had overtaken him.

He had patiently awaited his return to Beirfeils. When at last he came, he told her that it was the most beautiful thing which could have happened—that Jacqueline should have died in the zenith of their love.

"We never knew the downward swing of the pendulum," he explained. "And when we meet again it will be

as young lovers who have never grown tired. I shall always remember Jacqueline as still perfectly beautiful—never insulted by old age. And when she thinks of me—well, I'm still 'personable' fellow, as they say."

"My dear Glyn, you're still a boy! You've never grown up!" Jean made answer.

She had been amazed—although in a sense relieved—to find how swiftly he had rallied. It seemed almost as though his intense loathing of the onset of old age and decay, of that slow cooling of passion and gradual decline of faculties which age inevitably brings, had served to reconcile him to the loss of the woman he had worshipped whilst yet there had been no dimming of her physical perfection, no blunting of the fine edge of their love.

It was easily comprehensible that to two such temperamental, joy-loving beings as Glyn and Jacqueline, England, with her neutral-toned skies and strictness of convention, had made little appeal, and Jean could with difficulty harmonise the suddenly projected visit to England with her knowledge of her father's idiosyncrasies.

It was just possible, of course, since all which had meant happiness to him lay buried in a little mountain cemetery in Switzerland, that it no longer mattered to Peterdon where he sojourned. One place might be as good—or as bad—as another.

Rather diffidently Jean voiced her doubts, recalling him from the reveries into which he had fallen.

"I go to England!" he exclaimed.

"God forbid! No, you would go without me."

"Without you?"

Peterdon sprang up and began pacing restlessly to and fro.

"Yes, without me. I'm going away. I—I can't stay here any longer. I've tried, Jean, for your sake!" he looked across at her with a kind of appeal in his eyes—"but I can't stand it. I must move on—get away somewhere by myself. Beirfeils—without her!"

He broke off abruptly and stood still, staring down into the heart of the fire. Then he added in a wrung voice:

"It will be a year ago . . . tomorrow."

Jean was silent. Never before had he let her see the raw wound in his soul. Latterly she had divined a growing restlessness in him, sensed the return of the wander-fever which sometimes obsessed him, but she had not realized that it was pain—sheer, intolerable pain—which was this time driving him forth from the place that had held his happiness.

He had appeared so little changed after Jacqueline's death, so much of the wayward, essentially lovable and impractical creature of former times, still able to find supreme delight in a sunset, or an exquisite picture, or a wild ride across the purple hills, that Jean had sometimes marvelled how easily he seemed able to forget. And, after all, he had not forgotten—had never been able to forget! The gay, debonair side which he had shown the world—that same rather selfish, beauty-loving, charming personality she had always known—had been only a shell, a husk hiding a hurt that had never healed—that never would find healing in this world.

Jean felt herself submerged beneath a wave of self-reproach that she could have thus rudely accepted Glyn's attitude at this new aspect of things, her father's voice broke across her thoughts so smooth, polished, with just its usual infection of whimsical amusement, rather as though the world was a good sort of joke in which he found himself constrained to take part.

"I've made the most paternal arrangements for your welfare in my absence, Jean. I want to discuss them with you. You see, I couldn't take you

with me—I don't know in the least where I'm going or where I shall fetch up. That's the charm of it—his face kindling. "And it wouldn't be right or proper for me to drag a young woman of your age—and attractions—half over the world with me."

By which Jean, not in the least deceived by his air of conscious rectitude, comprehended that he didn't want to be bothered with her. He was bidding for freedom, untrammelled by any petticoats.

"So I've written to my old pal, Lady Anne Brennan," pursued Peterdon, "asking if you may stay with her for a little. You would have a delightful time. She was quite the most charming woman I knew in England."

"That must be rather more than twenty years ago," observed Jean drily. "She may have altered a good deal."

Peterdon frowned. He halted to have objections raised to any plan that particularly appealed to him.

"Rubbish! Why should she change? Anne was not the sort of woman to change."

Jean was perfectly aware that her father hadn't the least wish to "discuss" his proposals with her, as he had said. What he really wanted was to tell her about them and for her to approve and endorse them with enthusiasm—which is more or less what a man usually wants when he suggests discussing plans with his woman-kind.

So now, recognizing that he had all his arrangements cut and dried, Jean philosophically accepted the fact and prepared to fall in with them.

"And has Lady Anne signified her readiness to take me in for an indefinite period?" she inquired.

"I haven't had her answer yet. But I have no doubt at all what form it will take. It will be a splendid opportunity for you, altogether. You know, Jean"—pictorially—"you caught really to see the stately homes of England! Why, they're—they're your birthright!"

Jean reflected humorously that this point of view had only occurred to him now that it chanced to coincide so admirably with his own wishes. Hitherto the "stately homes of England" had been relegated to a quite unimportant position in the background and Jean's attention focussed more directly upon the unceasing vagaries of the British climate.

"I should like to go to England," was all she said.

Peterdon smiled at her radiantly—the smile of a child who has got its own way with much less difficulty than it had anticipated.

"You shall go," he promised her. "You'll adore Staple. It's quite a typical old English manor—lawns and terraces all complete, even down to the last detail of a yew hedge."

(To Be Continued.)

THE RHYMING OPTIMIST

By Aline Michells

THE POET'S GIFTS

My mother gave me this life that goes

Through these pulsing veins of mine, A part of the tide of the world that flows

In palace and street and shrine.

My father gave me the power that sees

The thoughts that men's hearts would hide,

The insight which glimpses their destinies

And the forces that in them bide.

The love of my mother runs, pure and deep,

Through the whole of my life, like a song;

And the love of my father still fresh I keep,

Though the years that he sleeps are long.

My life seemed happy and bright and sweet,

All free, without bonds or bars,

And I never guessed it was incomplete

Till a poet gave me the stars;

Till a poet brought me the salt spray's kiss

And the sunset's flags unfurled,

Till a poet gave me the key to bliss

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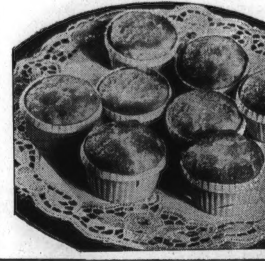
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1 cup milk
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"Down it will come advancing year by year, until it covers all Iceland," he writes. "It will swallow Northern Russia and Siberia, and creep down across Canada. The Orkneys and Shetlands will disappear under vast masses of frozen snow, until at last all Northern Scotland, perhaps as far south as Edinburgh will be blotted out. England, in those days, will be hardly habitable, for the winters will be terribly severe, while the summers, though hot, will be racked by dreadful rainstorms."

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Flying from Coppermine on the Coronation Gulf to Walker Bay on the northwest corner of Victoria Island and returning between breakfast and supper-time, W. A. Spence, well-known northern pilot, successfully completed the farthest north commercial flight in the history of aviation on September 7, according to word received at Edmonton.

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An unbroken record for the earth's weather extending back 4,000 years, has been reconstructed by studying clay deposits and tree rings.

Little Helps For This Week

"See then that ye walk circumspectly."—Ephesians v. 15.

"Is not for us to trifle? Life is brief, And sin is here."

Our age is but the falling of a leaf, A dropping tear.

We have no time to sport away the hours; All should be earnest in a world like ours.

Not many lives, but only one have we, Our only one;

How sacred should that one life ever be?

That narrow span: Day after day filled up with blessed toil, Hour after hour still bringing in new spoil.

—Horatius Bonar.

We have only once to live; therefore let us live to some purpose. The day that dawned this morning will never dawn again. The opportunities which it brought with it will never come again; and if we fail to fill it with the service it requires of us, there will be no possibility of returning into it to repair the mischief. The wheels of Time's chariot have raced to them, and they move only forward.—William M. Taylor.

Doubtless it's true that poverty isn't a crime, but if you're guilty of poverty, you always suffer for it.

Hall Caine Was Wealthy

Sir Hall Caine, author, left a personal estate of \$1,000,000 it was disclosed with the filing of the will. This does not include his real estate holdings and the value of his literary products. The estate is divided among his widow, his daughters and sons.

Footwear is being sold in Jugoslavia at \$1.15 to \$3.50 a pair.



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SCHOOL FAIR PRIZE WINNERS

(Continued From Last Week)

Sewing

Ten Years of Age and Under
Hemmed Towel—1, Ada Bailey, 2, Lila Rose, 3, Eugene Havens, 4, Claire Metheral, 5, Lethe Metheral.
Doll's Outfit—1, Lila Rose, 2, Eugene Havens, 3, June Patmore, 4, Ida Brown, 5, Opal Asaby.
Eleven and 12 Years of Age
Slip-over Apron—1, Clara Calvert, 2, Mildred Metheral, 4, Marjorie Lewellan, 5, Agnes Casey.
Hemmed Patch—1, Betty Bennie, 2, Marjorie Lewellan, 3, Agnes Casey.

Woven Darning—1, Marjorie Lewellan, 2, Mildred Metheral.
Hemstitched Towel—1, Marjorie Lewellan.
Thirteen Years of Age and Over
Hemmed Patch on Cotton—1, Lucella Jones, 2, Marjorie Walker, 3, Phyllis Ainscough, 4, Helen Sharp, 5, Lyla Casey.
Woven Darning—1, Marjorie Walker, 2, Sample Buttons, Button Holes, etc.—1, Phyllis Ainscough.
Hemstitched Towel—1, Lucella Jones, 2, Phyllis Wells, 3, Myrtle Osmond, 4, Vanita Stee—1, Emma Hehr, 2, Lucella Jones.
Open to All Ages
Knitted Mittens—1, Emma Hehr.
Knitted Scarf—1, Myrtle Osmond.
Doll's Scarf—Margaret Mae King.

Thrift Problem: 1, Lucella Jones, 2, Myrtle Osmond, 3, Keville Osmond, 4, Alice Kell, 5, Betty Bennie.
Thrift Problem, using sack—1, Marjorie Lewellan, 2, Irene Walker, 3, Marjorie Walker, 4, Vera McArthur, 5, Lucella Jones.
Rag Rug: 1, Ida Brown, 2, Gertrude Sharp, 3, Lucella Jones, 4, Maud Lennon, 5, Sylvia Southwood.
Thrift Problem, old wearing apparel: 1, Vera McArthur, 2, Lucella Jones, 3, Janet McCrimmon, 4, Marjorie Lewellan, 5, Lydia Gros.

Elementary Science

1, Gordon Malloch, 2, Tom Malyk, 3, Mount Leaves: 1, George Sackett, 2, Hannah Archibald, 3, Hugh Wickerson, 4, Eloise Thompson, 5, John Wells.
Insect Box: 1, Mary Treas, 2, Frank Treas, 3, Malyk.
Collection of Plants: 3, Eugene Wickerson.
Collection of Flowers: 1, Leona Parsons.

Agricultural Booklet: 1, Hazel Sackett, 2, John Elhard, 3, Linda Treas, 4, Mervin Stafford, 5, Marjorie Lewellan.

Industrial Art

A. Grade I
Plasticine, fruit: 1, Gladys Gilehrst, 2, Jimmie Stevens, 3, Allan Sharp, 4, Percy Blough.
Drawing of Fruit or Vegetable: 1, Gordon Southwood, 2, Helen Peile, 3, Russell Phillips, 4, Nellie Fowler, 5, Arlie Robinson.
B. Grade II
Landscape: 1, Elsie Fowler, 2, Victor Gross, 3, Irene Walker, 4, Eloise Thompson, 5, Hannah Archibald.
Construction Work: 1, Clark McMillan, 2, Hannah Archibald, 3, Lila Rose, 4, Irene Walker, 5, Walter Lilley.

C. Grade III
Flower or Leaf: 1, Frank Treas, 2, Gladys Oldaker, 3, Aida Bailey, 4, Mary Treas, 5, Winifred Bailey.
Crayon Landscape: 1, Winifred Bailey, 1, Aida Bailey, 3, Mary Treas, 4, Laura Onell, 5, Margaret Longhead.

D. Grade IV
Landscape: 1, Lucella Jones, 2, Verna McArthur, 3, Elsie Fowler, 4, Eugene Wickerson, 5, Boyd Southwood.
Construction and decoration of a box: 1, Robert Billo, 2, Melva English, 3, Winnie Treadway, 4, Douglas Young, 5, Lorne Longhead.

E. Grade V and VI
Animal in Pencil: 1, Betty Bennie, 2, Norman Wilson, 3, Leona Parsons, 4, Rex Southwood, 5, Veronica Mason.
Landscape: 1, Melva English, 2, Clifford Brandon, 3, Norman Wilson, 4, Roger Wilson, 5, Kate Leask.
Still Life Group in pencil: 1, Margaret MacKenzie, 2, Norman Wilson, 3, Victor Brown, 4, Clara Calvert, 5, Margaret Priest.

F. Grade VII and VIII
Landscape: 1, Hazel Parsons, 3, Marjorie Walker, 4, Mary Schmidt, 5, Fred Dipple.
Specimen of Wall of Room in Color: 1, Hazel Parsons, 2, Vivian Major, 3, Lila Casey, 4, Bernard Heine, 5, Helen Sharp.

G. Grade IX
Poster: 1, Vieta Good, 2, Merle Haywood, 3, Anne Askow, 4, Phyllis Wells, 5, Maud Lennon.
Painted Landscape: 1, Edith Mackenzie Monogram, 1, Anne Askow, 2, Vieta Good, 3, Margaret Stewart, 4, Muriel Priest.

H. Grade X
Penmanship
Grade I: Nellie Fowler, 2, Elsie Mop.

W. Paul Heine, 4, Bobbie Longhead, 5, Katherine Wyle.
Grade II: 1, Eloise Thompson, 2, Allen Hehr, 3, Irene Walker, 4, Billy Fieldhouse, 5, Betty Bennie.
Grade III: 1, Frank Treas, 2, Mary Treas, 3, Jackie Williams, 4, Donald Shortt, 5, Cora Hall.
Grade IV: 1, Lydia Gros, 2, Douglas Young, 3, Betty Elhard, 4, Robert Billo, 5, Harry Wyle.
Grade V and VI: 1, Roger Wilson, 2, Mary Gross, 3, Lydia Gros, 4, Leona Parsons, 5, Ramsey Parsons.
Grade VII: 1, John Ainscough, 2, Odella Ainscough, 3, Margaret Collicutt, 4, Kathleen Fitzpatrick, 5, Jean Annett.
Grade IX: 1, Margaret Stewart, 2, Muriel Priest, 3, Anne Askow, 4, Vieta Good.

Competition
Grade V and VI: 1, Billy Harrison, 2, Mary Gross, 3, Melva English, 4, Frank Murdoch, 5, Margaret Priest.
Grade VII and VIII: 1, Phyllis Wells, 2, Alice Kell, 3, Kathleen Fitzpatrick, 4, Anne Phillips, 5, Hazel Parsons.
Grade IX and X: 1, Muriel Priest, 2, Anne Askow, 3, Vieta Good, 4, Mary Stewart, 5, Julia Stamp.

Geography
Grade IV—Map of School District: 1, Harry Wyle.
Grade V—Map of Alberta: 1, Vinton Frick, 2, Arthur Baker, 3, Raymond Whitiz, 4, Melva English, 5, Clara Calvert.
Grade VI—Map of Canada: 1, Norman Wilson, 2, Roger Wilson, 3, Emma Hehr, 4, Mary Gross, 5, Leonard Parsons.

Grade VII—Map of Europe: 1, Bert Blough, 2, Linda Treas, 3, Edna Ableman, 4, Lyla Casey, 5, Gertrude Sharp.
Grade VIII—Map of British Isles: 1, Margaret Collicutt, 2, Verna Pogue, 3, Ralph Brandon, 4, Opal Blough, 5, Hazel Parsons.

RALLY DAY
You are cordially invited to attend the services in the Crossfield United Church on Sunday evening next at 7.30 p.m. The theme this year is, "Tell me the Stories of Jesus," and will be given in scripture and song. Let us make it a real "Rally."

Why not plan to be there
Church of the Ascension (ANGELICAN)
Sunday, September 27th.
Holy Communion, 11.00 a.m.
Sunday School, 12.15 a.m.
Please note the change in the Sunday School time; 12.15 instead of 10.00 a.m.

A meeting of the vestry will be held in the church on Tuesday next at 8.00 p.m. (September 29th).

Tennis Notes
On Sept. 27th, the local branch of the Canadian Legion will play the local club.
The following players will represent the Legion: Winning, McMillan, and Mrs. Montgomery. E. P. Smith, Cavender, Lewis and Mossop. The club will be represented by the Goldie family, and Mrs. Stevens, Collier, Tweedle, Thomas, and Grant.

Gibson still has some twine on hand to supply the last minute needs.
FORM "C"
The Domestic Animals Act (Municipalities)
Sale & Redemption of Impounded Animals (Sec. 48)

NOTICE is hereby given under section 48 of The Domestic Animals Act (Municipalities) that Pony Mare, Bay, strip on face, one front and both hind feet white, no visible brand, was impounded in the pound kept by H. Gano, located on the N.W. 21-28-3-W6th, on the 6th day of August A.D. 1931, and that the said animal was sold on the 22nd day of August 1931 to Bob Baxter of Madden, Alta.
Pony Mare, Brown, small star on face, no visible brand, was impounded in the pound kept by H. Gano, located on the N.W. 21-28-3-W6th, on the 6th day of August A.D. 1931, and that the said animal was sold on the 22nd day of August 1931, to Karl Wang, of Madden, Alta.
Roan Steer, long yearling, no brand, was impounded in the pound kept by H. Gano, located on the N.W. 21-28-3-W6th, on the 10th day of August A.D. 1931, and that the animal was sold on the 22nd day of August 1931, to Alexander of Carstairs, Alta. and that the said animals may be redeemed by the owner or on his behalf within a period of 30 days from the publication of this notice in The Alberta Gazette, upon payment of all fees and costs due to the municipality and the purchaser of said animals.

For information apply to the under signed.
G. B. HUNTER,
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Local and General

J. F. Percival of Edmonton was a visitor in town on Friday last.
J. Kurezbak is the new section foreman in John Zann's place.
Mr. and Mrs. John Zanni left on Tuesday for Port Arthur, Ont.
Fred Stevens is a business visitor in Calgary today (Thursday).
Call at the Oliver Cafe and hear the new Spartan radio.
D. Ontkes of Drumheller was a visitor in town on Wednesday.
Miss Peggy Cavender has accepted a position at the local telephone exchange.
Most of the potatoes in this district have been dug and the average yield is very light.

Remember the Village Tax Sale on Thursday, Oct. 1st at 3 p.m. at the office of the sec.-Treas.
W. K. Gibson is the local agent for the popular line of Spartan radios.

A J. Hunter of the Midland Pacific elevator has purchased a new Spartan radio.
Rev. J. P. Berry of Clover Bar renewed acquaintances in town on Friday last.

Mrs. Gazeley is leaving for Calgary this week where she will in future reside.
Jack Blegan returned on Thursday last after spending several months at his old home in Minnesota.

George Sutherland of DeWinton, Alberta's premier athlete, was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McCrimmon the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Amery left on Tuesday for their home in Walla Walla, Wash. after spending the past two weeks visiting relatives and friends here.

There were 1189 entries in the Crossfield School Fair. \$300 will be paid out in cash prizes. We understand the prize money and special prizes will be given out within the next two weeks.

The annual Thanksgiving Chicken Supper under the auspices of the Catholic Women's League will be held in the U.F.A. hall Crossfield, Thanksgiving, Monday, Oct. 12. Special evening will follow. Full particulars next week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Amery entertained at bridge on Friday evening last in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Amery of Walla Walla, Wash. Prize winners were: ladies' Mrs. C. H. McMillan; gent's first, Mr. T. Goldie. The guests of honor were presented with a cup and saucer.

Mrs. Belshaw and Mrs. Cruickshank entertained at court whist at the home of the former on Friday evening last. Prize winners were: Ladies' first, Miss Helen Willis; gent's, Ivor Lewis; consolation, ladies' Mrs. Major; gent's, Rev. Currie.

Threshing east of town is again general today (Thursday) and considerable grain is being hauled into town and is grading a two. They had more rain west of town and the grain is not fit to thresh yet.

George Nasadyk met with a painful accident at the school grounds on Wednesday while practising a long jump, fell and broke a bone in his arm between the wrist and elbow. He was attended by Dr. Whillans and was able to return to school the following morning with the fractured member in a sling.

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MONEY TO LOAN
PHONE 3

Council Meetings

The council of the village of Crossfield will meet in the Office of the Secretary Treasurer on the first Monday of each month commencing with February at the hour 9 o'clock p.m.
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